PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For:

METHOD APPARATUS FOR JOINING AIRCRAFT COMPONENTS

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 21, 2009, Applicant, through his attorney, elects Group I consisting of claims 26-40 and 45, without traverse. Please cancel claims 41-44 and 46-48 without prejudice.

The present amendment comprises the following sections:

- A. Amendments to the Claims
- B. Remarks

Please grant any extension of time necessary for entry; charge any fee due to Deposit Account No. 16-0631.